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# TOWN OF LOS GATOS PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING MARCH 22, 2017 110 EAST MAIN STREET LOS GATOS, CA

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- Persons wishing to make an audio/visual presentation on any agenda item must submit the
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  p.m. or the Clerk's Office no later than 3:00 p.m. on the day of the Planning Commission
  meeting.
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  - For inclusion in the regular packet: by 11:00 a.m. the Thursday before the meeting
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  - o For inclusion in any Desk Item: by 11:00 a.m. on the day of the meeting

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# TOWN OF LOS GATOS PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING MARCH 22, 2017

7:00 PM

#### **MEETING CALLED TO ORDER**

**ROLL CALL** 

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE** 

# **SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS/COMMISSION MATTERS**

**VERBAL COMMUNICATIONS** (Members of the public may address the Commission on any matter that is not listed on the agenda. Unless additional time is authorized by the Commission, remarks shall be limited to three minutes.)

**CONSENT ITEMS (TO BE ACTED UPON BY A SINGLE MOTION)** (Before the Planning Commission acts on the consent agenda, any member of the public or Commission may request that any item be removed from the consent agenda. At the Chair's discretion, items removed from the consent calendar may be considered either before or after the Public Hearings portion of the agenda)

- 1. Approval of Minutes March 8, 2017
- 2. 401 to 409 Alberto Way

Architecture and Site Application S-15-056 Conditional Use Permit Application U-15-009 Environmental Impact Report EIR-16-001

Requesting approval to demolish three existing office buildings and construct two new, two-story office buildings with underground parking on property zoned CH. It has been determined that this matter may have a significant impact on the environment and an Environmental Impact Report (EIR) has been prepared as required by the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). APN 529-23-018.

PROPERTY OWNER: CWA Realty

APPLICANT: Shane Arters, LP Acquisitions, LLC

PROJECT PLANNER: Jennifer Armer

**Continued from 1/11/2017** 

The Applicant has requested a continuance and this item is being continued to the April 12, 2017 Planning Commission meeting.

### 3. 15860, 15880, and 15894 Winchester Boulevard

Architecture and Site Application S-16-023
Subdivision Application M-16-002
Negative Declaration ND-16-003

Requesting approval to demolish three existing single-family residences, remove a secondary unit, remove large protected trees, and merge four lots for the purposes of constructing a new two-story office building with below grade and at grade parking. No significant environmental impacts have been identified as a result of this project and a Mitigated Negative Declaration is recommended. APNs 529-11-013, -038, -039, and -040.

PROPERTY OWNER: South Beach Partners LLC/Cumulus Capital Holdings, LLC

APPLICANT: Valley Oak Partners - Doug Rich

PROJECT PLANNER: Jocelyn Puga Continued from 1/25/2017

The Applicant has requested a continuance and this item is being continued to the April 26, 2017 Planning Commission meeting.

**PUBLIC HEARINGS** (Applicants/Appellants and their representatives may be allotted up to a total of ten minutes maximum for opening statements. Members of the public may be allotted up to three minutes to comment on any public hearing item. Applicants/Appellants and their representatives may be allotted up to a total of five minutes maximum for closing statements. Items requested/recommended for continuance are subject to the Commission's consent at the meeting.)

#### 4. 360 Bella Vista Avenue

Architecture and Site Applications S-15-053 and S-15-054

Requesting approval to demolish an existing two-family residence and construct two new single-family residences on property zoned R-1:8. APN 529-22-038.

PROPERTY OWNER: John Brady APPLICANT: Michael Black

PROJECT PLANNER: Jocelyn Puga

Continued from 3/8/2017

## 5. 30 Roberts Road and 6 Forrest Avenue

Architecture and Site Application S-16-070 Subdivision Application M-16-009

Requesting approval to demolish one multi-family dwelling with three units and one single-family dwelling, construct one multi-family dwelling with four units, and merge two lots into one lot on property zoned R-M:5-12. APN 529-10-003.

PROPERTY OWNER: Tannka, LLC

APPLICANT: Gary King

PROJECT PLANNER: Levi Hill

**OTHER BUSINESS** (Up to three minutes may be allotted to each speaker on any of the following items.)

6. Report from the Director of Community Development

**ADJOURNMENT** (Planning Commission policy is to adjourn no later than 11:30 p.m. unless a majority of the Planning Commission votes for an extension of time)

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Note: The Town of Los Gatos has adopted the provisions of Code of Civil Procedure §1094.6; litigation challenging a decision of the Town Council must be brought within 90 days after the decision is announced unless a shorter time is required by State or Federal law.